

Amendments to the Claims

Please substitute the following amended claims for original claims having like numbers.

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1. (Currently Amended) A method of window management on a display, the display having a plurality of windows, wherein at least one window of the plurality of windows includes at least one checklist selection frame having a layout and a list of available checklists, and each of the available checklists having at least one task, said method comprising the steps of:

receiving a selection for a selected checklist from the list of available checklists;  
storing the layout of the at least one checklist selection frame from which the selected checklist is selected; and  
opening and displaying a window containing synoptic information related to said selected checklist.

2. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 1 wherein said step of opening and displaying a window containing said synoptic information further comprises opening and displaying a synoptic frame including a synoptic page.

3. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 2, wherein said selected checklist comprises at least one task, further comprising the steps of:  
displaying the tasks of said selected checklist;  
receiving an indication of a selected task from said selected checklist;  
displaying in said synoptic frame a synoptic page associated with said selected task, at least partially while said selected task is displayed.

4. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 3 further comprising the steps of:  
repeating said task selecting and synoptic page displaying steps for each task in said  
selected checklist; and  
restoring the stored layout of the at least one checklist selection frame.

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5. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein said window comprises a FMS frame.

6. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein said window comprises a navigational  
frame.

7. (Currently Amended) The method of window management of claim 3 wherein said  
selected checklist includes a plurality of tasks, for a checklist containing a plurality of tasks,  
said method comprising the steps of:  
displaying at least one task of the plurality of tasks;  
selecting a particular displayed task;  
determining if a synoptic window is associated with said selected task; and  
repeating said displaying and determining steps until the end of the checklist is  
reached.

8. (Currently Amended) A method of window management on a display device for a checklist containing a plurality of tasks, said display device having a first display presented thereon, said first display having a frame layout having a first window therein, said method comprising the steps of:

listing at least one of the plurality of tasks in the checklist on the first display;  
receiving a selection for a selected task of the listed at least one task;  
determining whether that a synoptic window containing synoptic information is associated with said task, and if so: [;]  
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storing the frame layout of the first display in memory;  
reducing the size of the first window to a reduced window and displaying the reduced window;  
displaying the synoptic window associated with said task while the reduced window is displayed; and  
repeating said listing, determining, and displaying steps for each said task of the plurality of tasks in the checklist.

9. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 8 further comprising the steps of:  
determining that an end of the checklist has been reached;  
determining that the frame layout is stored in memory; and  
restoring said stored frame layout to said display.

10. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 8, wherein said first synoptic window has a plurality of pages including a first page having a page layout, the method further comprising the steps of:

determining that a second page associated with said first synoptic window is needed for a particular task; and

displaying said second page.

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11. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 10 further comprising the step of: storing the first page layout prior to said second page displaying step.

12. (Currently Amended) A program product comprising:

instructions executable by a computer to display a user-selectable list of a plurality of checklists, each checklist having at least one user-selectable task, wherein at least one task of the at least one user-selectable task[[s]] is associated with a synoptic page containing synoptic information relating to said task, and wherein a determination whether the synoptic page should be displayed is made, and if said synoptic page should be displayed, said synoptic page is automatically displayed, when the user selects said at least one task;

and

signal-bearing media bearing the instructions.

13. (Previously Presented) The program product of claim 12, further comprising a synoptic page associated with at least one said user-selectable checklist, said synoptic page displayed when said at least one user-selectable checklist is selected.

14. (Currently Amended) A method of presenting a computerized checklist on a display, the method comprising the steps of:

displaying a user-selectable checklist on the display, the checklist having a plurality of tasks to be selected;

receiving an input indicating a selected task from the plurality of tasks to be selected;  
determining whether associated synoptic information should be displayed, based on the selected task;

responding to a user's selection of said user-selectable checklist by displaying the associated synoptic information relating to said selected checklist, if the associated synoptic information should be displayed; and

further responding to said user's selection by displaying a user-selectable the selected task relating to said user-selected checklist, at least partially during displaying the associated synoptic information.

15. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 14, wherein displaying the associated synoptic information includes the step of displaying a diagram.

16. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 14, further comprising the step of:

responding to a user's selection of said user-selectable task by displaying synoptic information relating to the selected task.

17. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 16, wherein displaying the associated synoptic information includes the step of displaying a diagram.